Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—In many cases where recommendation for amalgamation is made some schools are Girls' schools.

Mr. I. N. Menon.—But many schools which are now called "Boys' schools" are mixed schools.

Fixation of pay of aided school teachers under the Educational Survey Report.

192. Mr. Joseph Pettah.—Adverting to paragraph 58 of the Report on the Educational Survey by the Director of Public Instruction, will the Government be pleased to state whether the recommendations contained in (a), (b) and (c) of the said paragraph, are intended to apply only to teachers in Government schools or also those in aided schools?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—The Member is referred to paragraph 75 of the Report which prescribes no definite scale of pay for teachers employed in schools under private management but only states that the rates of salary admitted in aided schools should not be in excess of those in Sirkar schools. The recommendations in pragraph 58 are intended to apply to teachers in Government schools.

Mr. Joseph Pettah.—The scale of pay proposed is only for teachers in Government schools. May I know why the Director has not proposed any definite scale for teachers in aided service?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—I leave it to the management. But the maximum given to those teachers should not exceed the maximum that is allowed to the teachers in Government service.

Mr. Joseph Pettah.— So the Government have fixed no minimum?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—But the Government have fixed the minimum amount of grant to be paid as Rs. 10 and Rs. 12/8. So the Managers should pay the teachers at least that much.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—On a point of order. There are some more important questions. May I ask the President to be good enough to extend the question time a little more?

President.—I have already extended the question time by 10 or 15 minutes. It would be uncourteous to the other subjects before us if we extend the question time still further.

Expenditure under uplift of the depressed classes in the current year.

193. മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. പി. വള്ളോൻ.—ഇക്കൊല്ലം സംരക്ഷണ വകുപ്പിൽ അനുവദിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള സംഖ്യയിൽനിന്നും ആകെ ചിലവു ചെയ്തിട്ടുള്ള ഉരുപ്പിക എത്ര; ഏതേതു് ഇനങ്ങളിൽ ചിലവുചെയ്തു?

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